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The foregoing statement was made when Major Heinrich Werner of the German army sailed for Bremen on the steamer Prinz Frederick Wilhelm. Major Werner, on his retirement from active service, came to this country ten years ago, and made his home in San Francisco. He has become wealthy and has decided to live permanently in Germany.

"What I tell you now is the result of close study of the Japs on the Pacific," continued the major. "The mobilization of a small army has been going on secretly for years and what I have observed is with military eyes and am therefore better qualified to appreciate what constant military training means."

"In isolated parts of California, where I have visited in my automobile, I have come across Japs spending their noon hours and their evenings in drill. I have watched small companies of them marching and parading to the orders of Japanese officers who are earning their living in this country by doing menial work. They have organized small survey parties and made maps of every spot in California and the information they have gained is of priceless value to them."

"You people in the east think it is all a joke. You are over-confident and you think that if Japan started a war it would simply mean a small matter of sending a couple of American battleships to end it. Japan has battleships and more are building. Japan has an army that will compare for efficiency with any army in the world, and, what is more, she has already a strong foothold in this country."

"The people of California and adjoining states intend to get rid of the Japs as fast as they can. But they want to feel that everybody is concerned for the future of California and not regard it as a foreign possession. The Jap question is vital and I can't help but feel that much harm will follow if the United States government does not act firmly and promptly."

The major added that Australia will never permit orientals to remain in large numbers and that the situation in California has been allowed to exist too long.

Dixon Sued for \$15,485 Damages.

Arvid Norgreen, through his attorneys Geo. N. Gibbs and E. H. Evans, has filed a suit against Harry Dixon in which he asks for \$15,485 damages as the result of injuries sustained in an accident on October 17th last, when the defendant is charged with driving his automobile into a buggy driven by the plaintiff. The petition recites that the buggy was overturned and he received injuries which confined him in a hospital for six months. Among the injuries received was a fractured elbow, and by reason of this injured arm his earning capacity, which is \$60 per month, has been curtailed one-fourth. The plaintiff alleges that Dixon was driving the car at an unlawful speed and in a careless manner.

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CLEO CHAPPELL, County Supt.

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Local and Personal

Mrs. Henry Simon has been critically ill for several days.

Mrs. E. A. Cary visited friends in Ogallala this week.

Earl Stamp spent the first of this week in Brady on business.

M. J. O'Connell spent the first of the week in Omaha on business.

T. C. Patterson went to Omaha Tuesday evening to transact business.

A. E. Timmerman went to Gothenburg Tuesday afternoon to transact business.

Mrs. Thomas Healey, who has been ill for several days, is reported to be improving.

Miss Maybelle Burke left for Denver the first of the week, where she will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dolan, of Maxwell, are spending this week with local friends in the city.

Mrs. Wilford, of Sutherland, returned Wednesday after spending several days with friends.

Ernest McGrew, of Kansas City, spent the first of this week transacting business and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Scharman left Tuesday evening for Omaha where the former will be operated upon.

Mrs. Walter Crook and baby left a few days ago for Carroll, Iowa, to visit with relatives for several weeks.

Mrs. Sam Richards, of Omaha, who visited in town the first of the week, returned home Wednesday morning.

A. J. Ellison returned Tuesday from Loveland, Colo., where he visited his family, who are now located at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Abbott, of Chapman, who visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cook early in the week, have gone to Gandy to spend several days.

Wilford Stuart and sister Miss Veronica, of Lexington, came up Tuesday evening to attend the Knights of Columbus dance and visit friends.

Mrs. Davis, who has made her home with her daughter Mrs. A. G. Ellison, left for Loveland, Colo., recently where she will make her home in the future.

Ralph Barney, of Kearney, came Wednesday afternoon to visit Will Waltemath and attend the T. M. E. card party at the Payne residence Wednesday evening.

Clarence Spicer, formerly of this city but now located in Colorado, writes home that he has accepted a position with the Medicine Bow Forest Reserve and is well pleased with his new position.

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Exhibit Here June 17.

H. S. Rowe, advance agent for Irwin Bros. wild west show, accompanied by F. L. Miner, private secretary to Charley Irwin, were in town Wednesday making arrangements for the appearance of that show in North Platte on June 17th. The Irwin Bros. have gotten together a great array of wild west talent, including all the boys who have been prize winners at the frontier days exhibitions at Cheyenne for the past seven years. Sixty Indians will also be carried with the show, and they will faithfully portray real Indian life. Fifty wild steers and a hundred or more wild horses will be carried, among the latter being several of the best "buckers" that have caused grief to the riders at the Cheyenne exhibitions. In fact this show will be a real wild west exhibition; more realistic than anything that has heretofore been attempted in this line.

The arena will be constructed along the lines of the Cody show with a seating capacity of seven thousand. Contracts have been made for the appearance of the show at the state fairs at St. Paul, Des Moines, Springfield, Jefferson City and at other big gatherings that will be held during the summer and fall.

The fact that the show originates at Cheyenne and is backed by such old-timers as the Irwin brothers, is a guarantee that it will be a real wild west exhibition. Undoubtedly a big crowd will greet the show in North Platte on June 17th.

Two Fine Moving Pictures.

Manager Stamp, of the Keith, furnished moving picture patrons with two great subjects during the past week, Sara Bernhardt in "Queen Elizabeth" Friday and Saturday evenings, and Helen Gardner in "Cleopatra" Monday and Tuesday evenings. These two great historical plays were given in their entirety and with absolute accuracy, thus furnishing patrons the actions and scenic effects if not the words, of plays we never have an opportunity to witness in North Platte.

Prof. E. A. Garlich left Wednesday morning for Brady to spend a few days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Van Cleave have returned from Cozad, where they attended the Christian rally.

Robert Lannin who is employed at Stapleton came the first of this week to visit his family.

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PROBATE NOTICE.
In the matter of the estate of Walter B. McNeil, deceased.
In the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, April 15, 1913.
Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of said deceased will meet the administratrix of said estate before the county judge of Lincoln county, Nebraska, at the county court room, in said county, on the 20th day of May, 1913, and on the 20th day of Nov., 1913, at 9 o'clock a. m. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims, for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims, and one year for the administratrix to settle said estate, from the 15th day of April, 1913. A copy of this order to be published in the North Platte Tribune, a legal semi-weekly newspaper published in said county for four successive weeks prior to May 20, 1913.

JOHN GRANT, County Judge.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Serial No. 03716.
Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb.
Mar. 17th, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Alvin T. Guyer, of North Platte, Neb., who, on February 8th, 1908, made Homestead Entry No. 2579 of Serial No. 03716, for sec. 14, NW 1/4 and lots 4, 5, Section 16, Township 14 N., Range 20 W., 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, at North Platte, Neb., on the 1st day of May, 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: Fred J. Malone, Annie Guttersen, Fred Simons and Jesse Long, all of North Platte, Neb.
J. E. Evans, Register.

ORDER OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATRIX.
The State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, ss.
In the County Court.
In the matter of the estate of Dennis J. O'Brien, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Corda V. O'Brien, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to herself as administratrix.
Ordered, That, May 20th, 1913, at 9 o'clock a. m. is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why prayer of petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of said pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the North Platte Tribune a legal semi-weekly newspaper printed in said county for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.

Dated April 24, 1913.

JOHN GRANT, County Judge.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Serial No. 03749.
Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb.
April 3, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Laura Shaw, of North Platte, Neb., who, on March 9, 1908, made H. E. No. 23225, Serial No. 03749, for NW 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, and NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 25, Township 15 N., Range 31, West of the 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver, at North Platte, Neb., on the 6th day of June, 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: Arthur Tookes, H. F. Doolke, Wm. Siebold, Dave Macomber, all of North Platte, Neb.
J. E. Evans, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Serial No. 0368.
Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb.
Feb. 25, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Edward Hima, of North Platte, Neb., who, on February 8, 1908, made Homestead Entry No. 24595, for NE 1/4 and the SW 1/4 of Section 2, Twp. 15 N., Rge. 30, West of the 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver, at North Platte, Neb., on the 25th day of April, 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: John Reeves, Robert Reeves, Frank Hood, Henry Greeley, all of North Platte, Neb.
J. E. Evans, Register.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
By virtue of an order of sale issued from the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court wherein Hazel Turner Drake is plaintiff, and Albert S. Holdingsworth et al, are defendants, and to me directed, I will on the 7th day of June, 1913, at 2 o'clock, p. m., at the east front door of the court house in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said decree, interest and costs, the following described property to-wit: Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) section twenty-five (25) township ten (10) north of range thirty-one (31) west of the 6th P. M., in Lincoln county, Nebraska.
Dated North Platte, Neb., May 1st, 1913.

A. J. SALISBURY, Sheriff.

Legal Notice.
Francis O. Messenger, defendant, will take notice that on the 13th day of May, 1913, Restore N. Lamb, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, against said defendant, the object and prayer of which are to have a certain mortgage declared null and void, and having been paid, and long since barred by the statute of limitation, which mortgage is dated June 19th, 1895, given by one William H. Mullane and wife, to Francis O. Messenger, for the sum of \$175.00, which mortgage was recorded in Book 20, at Page 182, of the Mortgage Records of Lincoln County, Nebraska, and secured upon lots 1 and 2, in block 84 of the city of North Platte, Nebraska, and to have plaintiff's title to said real estate quieted as against said mortgage. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 23rd day of June, 1913.

Dated May 13th, 1913.
RESTORE N. LAMB, Plaintiff.

Notice to Non-Resident Defendant.
John Ragan, whose present residence or abode is unknown, will take notice that on the 24th day of April, 1913, Frederick W. Cross filed his petition in equity in the district court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, for the purpose of removing a cloud from and quieting the title to the west forty-four feet of lot two, in block one hundred and three, in the city of North Platte, Nebraska. The prayer of said petition is that the title to said premises be quieted and confirmed in said Frederick W. Cross, and that said John Ragan be barred from any right, title, interest, claim or demand therein, by reason of any defect in a certain decree of partition entered in his action for partition of said premises and other real estate, on the 29th day of December, 1891, and while he was a minor. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 9th day of June, 1913.

Dated April 25th, 1913.
FREDERICK W. CROSS, Plaintiff.
By GEO. E. FRENCH his attorney.

NOTICE OF HEARING.
In the county court in and for Lincoln county, Nebraska.
In the matter of the estate of John F. Meir, deceased.
State of Nebraska, county of Lincoln, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of John F. Meir, deceased.
Whereas, Justine Grothen has filed in this office an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of John F. Meir, deceased, late of the county of Bureau and state of Illinois, together with a certificate of the probate court in and for the county of Bureau, state of Illinois, and a petition praying to have the same admitted to probate, which will and testament relate to both real and personal property.
It is therefore ordered that the 3rd day of June, 1913, at 9 o'clock a. m., at my office in said county, be fixed as the time and place for proving said will, at which time and place, you and all concerned may appear and contest the probate of the same.

It is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to all persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and of the time and place set for hearing of said petition, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the North Platte Tribune, a legal semi-weekly newspaper published in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, and of general circulation in said county for four successive weeks previous to the day set for hearing, viz: June 2nd, 1913, 9 a. m.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal this 24th day of April, 1913.

JOHN GRANT, County Judge.

Referees Sale.
By virtue of an order issued in the district court in and for Lincoln County, Nebraska, on the 4th day of April, 1913, in an action of partition wherein Rupert Schwaiger is plaintiff and Agnes Harris, Emory Tripp, Minnie Hood, a minor, Eddie Hood, a minor, Helen Colvin, a minor, Edward Tripp, Opal Tripp, Adeline Tripp, and Harold Tripp, minors and children of Mamie Tripp, deceased, W. L. Porter, first and real name unknown, as guardian of Minnie Hood, H. D. Hughes, first and real name unknown, as guardian of Eddie Hood, Earl H. Colvin as guardian of Helen Colvin, Russell D. Chase as guardian of Edward Tripp, Opal Tripp, Adeline Tripp and Harold Tripp are defendants, I will sell at public auction at the east front door of the court house in the city of North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska on the 24th day of May, 1913, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate situate in Lincoln County, Nebraska, to-wit: The east half (E 1/2) and the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of section thirty-four (34) township sixteen (16), north of range thirty west of the 6th p. m. in Lincoln County, Nebraska, containing 480 acres according to government survey, the terms of said sale to be cash in hand.

Dated at North Platte, Nebraska, this 14th day of April, 1913.

O. E. ELDER, Referee. A-15-5